

**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: John Ormond

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For:    Database Block network Attached Storage  
         Packet Joining

Group Art Unit: 2626

Examiner: Nguyen, Toan D.

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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Official Action dated Sep. 18, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.